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Williams Anniversary



Mr. and Mrs. Thomas C. Williams of Norris St., Feeding Hills, will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary on Sunday, Feb. 22nd at the Agawam United Methodist Church with a reception from 2-4 p.m., where they are members.

Before his retirement, Mr. Williams was employed by Mt. Holyoke College.

Mr. and Mrs. Williams were married in Springhill, Nova Scotia on Feb. 25, 1920 and are parents of Mr. Earle MacLeod Williams of Springfield, Mr. Harry R. Williams of Wilbraham, and Mrs. Charles B. Tallman of West Springfield.

They have four grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Children's Movies At Valley Sunday

A special program of movies right out of New York will be shown for children at the Valley Community Church Hall this Sunday at 2 p.m.

Hundreds of children have come to the Saturday afternoon programs for cartoons and comedies and have indicated great enjoyment in what was offered. Once a month the program will shift to Sunday afternoon and it is the purpose of the Men's Club of the Church, who are sponsors, to give a little extra on this day.

The admission charge is the lowest in the area and there are refreshments that still can be bought for a nickel.

UNICO Says "Dinner Is Ready"

Nick Chechile, general chairman of the ninth annual macaroni dinner, sponsored by the Agawam Chapter of UNICO National said today that all is ready for the family style dinner to be held at the Agawam Junior High School on Thursday, Feb. 26th with continuous servings from 4 to 8 p.m.

The menu this year features ziti macaroni, homemade meat balls, Italian bread, salad, ice cream, milk and coffee. Also featured will be a special dessert. (Please Turn To Page 3)

K of C Pancake Supper Feb. 28

The Agawam Council of the Knights of Columbus will conduct a Pancake and Sausage supper on Saturday, Feb. 28th, from 5 to 8 p.m., at the Agawam Junior High School. Donation 99c for young and old.

Proceeds from the supper will be given to the Sunshine Village, Chicopee, an institution for retarded children.

Tickets may be purchased at the door.

Agawam Jaycees To Plan St. Patrick's Day Parade

The Agawam Jaycees, at their last meeting, welcomed into it's membership Paul Delskey, Robert LeClair and George Roden. The membership drive held in January provided a long list of young men in town who were interested in joining the Jaycees and helping to develop their community.

The main topic at the meeting was the town's representation in the St. Patrick's Day Parade. Charles Brantley, Jaycee president stated that the Selectmen's Office has asked the Jaycees to organize this year's contingency in the parade. The purpose is to help promote our town throughout the area.

Preliminary plans call for the Agawam High School Band, the Selectmen, a Fire and Police Department marching unit, the town's Safety Car, the Indian Guides from the YMCA, and a float with the Colleen selected at the St. John the Evangelist Guild's "A Bit Of Old Ireland" program.

The theme of the float will be "Social and Industrial Progress" in Agawam. Civic Groups and Clubs in town will be asked to supply their banners for display on the float. Names of the industries will ring the bottom of the float.

Other major projects upcoming for the Jaycees are the Ambulance Drive, a Creative Playground and promotion of the Town Manager type of government. (Please Turn To Page 5)

Valley Church To Serve Smorgasbord Saturday Evening

The Friendly Circle of the Valley Community Church will serve a public Smorgasbord on Feb. 21, in the Dunn Community Hall of the Church in Feeding Hills. Sitings will be continuous from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. Reservations can be made with Mrs. Gilbert Bowden 788-0105, Mrs. Charles Ritter 788-6890, or the Church Office 734-7754.

Adults \$2.00, Children 6 to 12 years old \$.99, and Tots free.

The menu will consist of: roast beef, oven baked chicken, browned hash, scalloped potatoes, macaroni & cheese, baked ravioli, Maine style baked beans, potato salad, assorted gelatin salads, tossed salad, deviled eggs, cottage cheese, pickles & olives, rolls & butter, coffee, tea, or milk, and gingerbread and whipped cream.

Dear Friends: Make your reservations early. Take along a few friends who appreciate good home cooking. Regardless of the weather, the hill will be clear. See you?

Commission On Elderly Needs To Hold Fourth Public Hearing

The fourth in a series of public hearings, conducted by the special commission on elderly needs and problems, will be held on Friday, February 20 at the Springfield Auditorium, Springfield at 10:30 a.m. Residents of Springfield and citizens of neighboring communities are most welcome to attend this open hearing and voice their opinions and suggestions to this commission in behalf of our senior citizens.

Among those invited to attend are Mayor Frank Freedman, members of the City Council, the Springfield Housing Authority, and other city departments and city officials and selectmen from Springfield and area towns. Elderly residents will be notified of this meeting through their organizations and will be called upon to present their views to the commission. (Please Turn To Page 3)

Ladies Aid Society To Meet Feb. 26

The Ladies Aid Society of the Agawam Congregational Church will hold a luncheon meeting at noon on Thursday, the 26th, in the parish hall of the church.

"Steps to Happiness," a program of readings and music based on Beatitudes will be presented.

'Colleen' Contestants For St. John's Guild Show 'A Bit Of Old Ireland' March 20



DONNA CAMPBELL



EILEEN FOLEY



ELAINE FRIGHETTO



APRILLE QUERY



DEBRA RACHELE

Eleven girls have signed up to date for the "Colleen" contest, which will be judged during the second annual St. Patrick's Day show, sponsored by St. John the Evangelist Guild.

The show will be held at Agawam High School on Friday, Mar. 20th at 8 p.m. The girl chosen "Colleen" and the 1st and 2nd runners up will preside over the Agawam Jaycee float in the St. Patrick's Day Parade in Holyoke the following Sunday.

Each girl entering the contest will receive awards. Girls will be judged for poise and personality. Registration will remain open until next Sunday at 3:30 p.m., when the girls will meet in St. John's parish hall.

The show titled "A Bit Of Old Ireland" is being directed by Harry Williams. Tickets for the show will be available at the door. Judges for the contest are: Joanne Green of Sheraton Corp., Boston; Marsha Haynes, a graduate of the Carol Russell Modeling School; William Kavanaugh of Storrowton Inn; Gino Viamari of Gino's Beauty Salon, and Richard Barron of Berger and Barron Advertising Associates.

Girls entered are: Donna Campbell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Campbell of Adams St., a sophomore at Agawam High School, stands 5 ft. tall, has blue eyes, blonde hair and is 15 years old.

Eileen Foley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Foley of Hamilton Cir., Feeding Hills, a graduate of Agawam High School, is presently earning a BA degree at Springfield Technical Community College. (Please Turn To Page 5)

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CHURCH NEWS

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459 Mill Street, Agawam
Rev. Ronald G. Oakland, Minister
Mrs. Richard Fearn, Organist
Mrs. Marshall Keyes, Sanctuary Choir Director
Mrs. Kenneth Alexander, Jr., Youth Choir Director
 Sunday — 9:30 a.m. Service of worship. Nursery for infants. Church School through Senior High; 10:30 — Coffee hour in Fellowship Hall; 6:30 p.m.—Junior and Senior Youth Fellowship.

BAPTIST CHURCH

Mrs. Ruth Daniels, Organist
Mrs. Nancy Lund, Choir Director
Mrs. Barbara Briggs, Church Secretary
Rev. Benjamin Lockhart, Pastor
 Thursday: 7:30 p.m., Senior Choir rehearse at church; 7:45, p.m., Lenten meeting at church.
 Sunday: 9:30 a.m., Morning Worship — Rev. Lockhart will preach morning sermon. . . The Senior Choir sing; The God and Country Award will be given to the Boy Scouts; 10:30 a.m. Church School; 6 p.m., Junior High and Senior BYF's meet at church; 5 p.m. Bil Choir rehearse at church.
 Monday: 7:45 p.m. Groups 1 and 3 for the Lenten meetings meet at church.
 Tuesday: 6:30 p.m., The Father and Son banquet at church.
 Wednesday: 7:45 p.m., Group 2, 4, 5 Lenten meeting at church; 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. and 7 to 9 p.m. . . . Trading Past open.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Rev. Floyd C. Bryan, Minister
Mrs. Andrew Toussaint, Minister of Music
Mrs. Lewis Moors, Church Secretary
 Friday: 7 p.m. Boy Scout meeting; 7:30 p.m. Sanctuary Choir rehearsal.
 Saturday: 9 a.m. Youth Choir rehearsal.
 Sunday: 9:30 a.m. Church School, 5th Grade thru 12th Grade; 10:30 a.m. Church School, Nursery thru 4th Grade and Church at morning Worship —

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 Wednesday: 6:30 p.m. Senior High Choir rehearsal; 6:30 p.m. Merriweds Supper meeting.

FEEDING HILLS CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

21 North Westfield St.
Rev. Robert F. Berkey, Interim Minister
Randall L. Nofall, Organist
Cynthia A. Meyer, Choir Director
 Thursday: 7 p.m. Choir rehearsal.
 Sunday: 10 a.m. Church School and kindergarten thru grade nine and Church at morning worship.

SACRED HEART CHURCH

FEEDING HILLS
Rev. George Linse, C.S.S.
Rev. James Shea, C.S.S.
 Saturday—4:30 and 7:30 p.m. Confessions.
 Sunday—6:45, 8, 9:15, 11:30 a. m. Masses.
 Tuesday—7:30 p.m. Miraculous Medal Novena Devotions.

ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA CHURCH

Rev. Samuel Fayad, C.S.S.
Rev. Joseph Mantia, C.S.S.
 Saturday—4 to 5 p.m. and 7:30 to 8:30 p.m. confessions.
MASS SCHEDULE
 Sundays—7, 8:30, 10:30 a.m. and 5:30 p.m.
 Week days—7 a.m. and 5:30 p.m.
 Holy days—7 and 9 a.m., 5:30 and 7:30 p.m.
 Tuesdays—7:30 p.m. St. Anthony Devotions.

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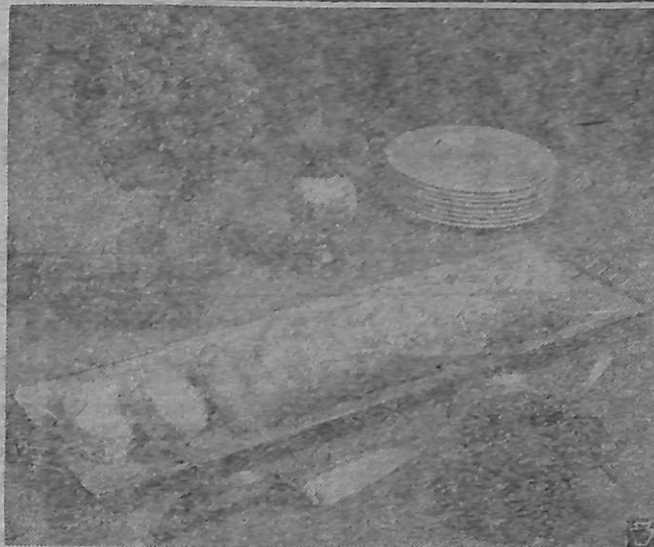
Rev. John S. Tyler, Vicar
 Sunday — 8 a.m. Holy Communion; 10 a.m. Festival Service; 7 p.m. Evening prayer.

ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST CHURCH

Rev. Walter J. Joyce
Rev. Albert Blanchard
 Saturday — 9 a.m., CCD classes for Grades 1-6 at the Junior High School.
 Saturday — Confessions 4 to 5 and 8 to 9 p.m.
MASS SCHEDULE
 Sunday—6:45, 8, 9:15, 10:30, 11:45 a.m.
 Monday — 7 p.m., CCD classes for Grades 7-12.
 Tuesday—5:30 p.m., Mass followed by Miraculous Medal Novena.

GOLDEN TOUCH OF HOSPITALITY

BY JANE ASHLEY



Birthday Roll Too Good To Save

This cherry roll was planned especially for George Washington's birthday, but is perfect for any occasion. It is sponge cake roll filled with whipped cream and topped with cherry sauce. Use your favorite sauce or heated cherry pie filling.

Cherry Sponge Roll

1/3 cup unsifted flour	1/3 cup sugar
1/4 cup corn starch	1 tablespoon cold water
3 eggs, separated	2 tablespoons margarine, melted
1/4 teaspoon salt	

Lightly sweetened whipped cream

Line bottom of 1 (15 1/2 x 10 1/2 x 1-inch) baking pan with waxed paper. Sift flour and corn starch together; set aside. Beat egg whites and salt in large mixing bowl, until foamy. Gradually add sugar; beat until stiff peaks form. Mix egg yolks and water. Beat well, then fold into egg whites. Sift flour and corn starch together again; fold into egg mixture. Fold in melted margarine. Spread evenly in prepared pan. Bake in 400°F. (hot) oven until golden brown and springy when touched lightly on top. Immediately turn out onto cloth, lightly dusted with confectioners sugar. Remove waxed paper. Roll up cake in cloth; cool. Unroll and spread with whipped cream. Roll up cake. Wrap in cloth. Cool completely on wire rack. Slice to serve. Makes 6 servings. Serve with warm cherry sauce.

ST. THERESA OF INFANT JESUS CHURCH

Rev. Paul Bernard
MASS SCHEDULE
 Daily Mass—7 a.m.
 Saturday—8 a.m. Mass — 4:30 and 7:30 Confessions.
 Sunday — 7, 9 and 11 a.m. Mass.

VALLEY COMMUNITY CHURCH

152 South Westfield St.
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Mrs. Richard Orr, Church Secretary
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NEWS FOR VETS

The Veterans Administration said today that thousands of disabled veterans are not taking advantage of valuable low-cost insurance available to them.

Administrator of Veterans Affairs Donald E. Johnson said that VA disability ratings result in more than 7,000 veterans being added to the rolls each month. When they are, Johnson said, they are encouraged to apply for the special RH insurance with premiums so low that a 25-year-old veterans, for example, can start a \$10,000 insurance program for \$2.60 a month.

"Thus, \$10,000 RH and \$10,000 converted SGLI at standard rates allows disabled veterans an opportunity to carry \$20,000 insurance or could do so only at increased premiums," the VA chief pointed out.

RH National Service Life Insurance is available to veterans separated from service after April 24, 1951, who have been rated by the VA as having a service-connected disability.

Applications for RH insurance must be submitted within one year from the date VA establishes the disability, and is available whether or not veterans have converted their Servicemen's Government Life Insurance (SGLI) to a private policy after they got out of military service.

Disabled veterans are urged to get additional information from their local VA office as soon as possible after receiving disability rating. A legally appointed guardian or other person acting in a veteran's behalf may apply if the veteran is incompetent, Johnson said.

VA insurance offices in Philadelphia or St. Louis inform each veteran that he is entitled to apply for low cost RH insurance at the time his disability has been established, but VA has found that many ignore the opportunity to do so.



How often have you begun a statement with, "If I live to be 100 . . ." At the rate the expected life span has increased in recent years, it might be a common occurrence for babies now born. In 1900, according to the 1968 World Almanac, the expected life-span for boy babies was 46 years; females, 48. In 1966, it increased to 66 for males and 73 for females!

Frequently, babies are named after historic or famous people without any awareness of what the names actually stand for. Adam, for instance, means "human being." Clark stands for "priest" and Sophia means "wise."

Flower of the month for a baby born in January is the carnation or snowdrop; February, violet or primrose; March, jonquil or daffodil; April, sweet pea or daisy; May, lily of the valley, or hawthorn; June, rose or honeysuckle; July, larkspur or water lily; August, poppy or gladiolus; September, aster or morning glory; October, calendula or cosmos; November, chrysanthemum; December, narcissus or holly.

Ever since 1940 more males than females have been born in the United States, each year. The most recent available statistics show 1,927,954 male babies born in 1965 and 1,833,304 girl babies. Not yet tabulated according to gender, 1966 birth figures total 3,629,000, with the California registering the greatest number, 350,091.

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Now We Understand

There must always come a time in the growth of a community, when its residents must give serious consideration to the extension of its facilities. Conscientious town planners, as with cautious homeowners, must be careful not to let this development get too far out of hand. The history of procrastination clearly depicts added costs, plus interim liabilities, are always the result of too much delay.

As a small town, we were able to provide these facilities with a minimum of economic strain. One fire truck in each of three stations was a luxury. Our sewage was ably carried in 8 inch lines. The construction of a high school in 1922 was expected to handle our seating problem for a number of years. Our youth had numerous open fields in which to play and our brooks carried clear water providing a playground for eatable fish. Really, we had no worries.

This observation is all made in retrospect, because I am sure the administration in that era thought they had insurmountable problems. I am equally sure that many of us believe we have such problems today. I am just as sure that those still alive in 200 will look back to the year 1970 with the same sort of thoughts and observations which I have described for the year 1920.

We have definitely reached a turning point. Our foundations for continued growth are in need of repair or enlargement. Our youth need established and supervised play areas. Our sewerage system needs new and larger trunk lines. The area disposal plant must be rebuilt to handle greater capacity. Our school houses are overcrowded. Our town vehicles should be garaged. In at least one of our Fire Stations, here is no longer room to store our valuable fire equipment. Our population has increased faster than our provisions to handle it.

In the face of this demand the tax assessment also seem to rise faster than our income. We have to wonder whether we have reached the "breaking point". I have to believe that fear and discouragement have never reached the "breaking point". I have to believe that fear and discouragement have never combined to solve any problem. I suggest that, with fortitude, we confront all of these problems with combined courage.

Therefore, I recommended that we purchase two moderately sized tracts of land to provide for some of this development. Perhaps you will want to understand how a municipality acquires land, where

it is located, and why we need it. The Town can acquire land by either of two methods. If the acquisition is in the interest of the public good and for public use it can be acquired by "Eminent Domain" under today's laws this same land must be appraised by a professional evaluator, one who is registered and who may defend the value of this 'taking' if court procedure follows. This action could result in lengthy and expensive court cases. I suggest it only as a last resort. It seems a fairer way when the Town and the resident owner reach an amicable agreement.

The two tracts in question are the site of the former "Old Mill Pond" now owned by Dr. John Tate and the Albighini property opposite the Western Mass Electric's substation on Springfield St.

The "Old Mill Pond" site is contiguous to the YMCA property and it contains about 14 acres. This pond lost part of it's dike in the flash rains of August 1955. A crystal clear brook flows through the center of the property. If reclaimed, it shall be expected to be controlled by our Parks and Playground Committee who may provide for public swimming, fishing and ice skating. It was a site of natural beauty before 1955 and certainly can be restored to that condition.

The Albighini property can become the new location for our No. 1 Fire Station. The station now located on Ottawa St., is in horrible condition. The N.E. Fire Rating Comm. has recommended both the site and the new construction. If we ever expect a reduction in our Fire Insurance rates, this is a "must". It is also possible on this site to construct our new Town yard and shed, thereby allowing room for expansion at the present Administration Bldg.

I know this is an ambitious program but I also know full well the lesson of "Procrastination".

Sincerely,
George D. Reynolds,
Selectman.

Commission . . .

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Representative O'Brien, house chairman of the commission, stated: "We want to hear particularly how state and local agencies can meet the needs of the elderly."

Senator Harmon also announced: "A comprehensive report with accompanying legislative recommendations will be filed with the general court next year."

We know an editorial writer so devoted to his work, he keeps a secretary near his bed, in case he gets an idea during the night.

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UNICO Says . . .

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tured this year will be the home baked goods sale with all foods prepared by the wives of the UNICO members.

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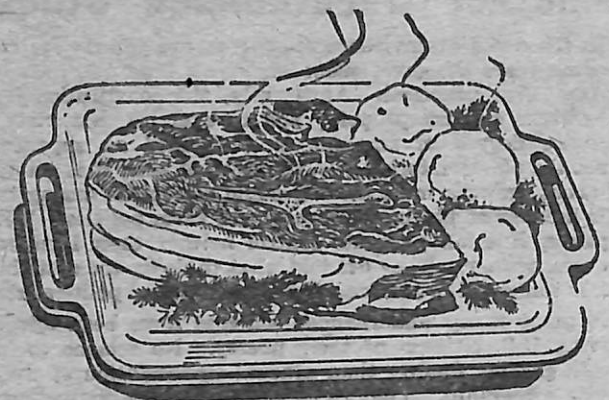
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Another Underhanded Scheme

In the name of environment control, predictions are made that in coming years the government will direct land use, including decisions on farm practices. Apparently, the constitutional right of U.S. citizens to own property and to exercise that right, with a reasonable degree of freedom, is envisioned as superfluous and against the public interest. In the light of this, it is interesting to read about growing meat shortages and discontent among the Soviet people because of the harsh government farm policies. With minor exceptions, Russian peasants control neither their land nor crops. They own neither. They are told what to do by the state hierarchy, which is enmeshed in a maze of bureaucracy and political rivalry.

A great many underhanded schemes have been advanced for depriving U.S. citizens of their liberty. No scheme could do the job with greater finality than gradual emasculation of the right of property ownership. That right is the primary distinction between citizens and peasants—something of which our forefathers were well aware nearly two centuries ago.

Health for All

Blasting The Smoking Habit

Trying to quit the nicotine bit? Here's an offbeat idea.

The idea really worked for Dr. Roger O. Egeberg, HEW's assistant secretary for health and scientific affairs. He decided to quit smoking and substitute another harmless habit instead. He still wanted to chew or finger something.

Dr. Egeberg, he says, remembered that some Middle Easterners carry amber beads which they finger from time to time. "But I couldn't afford amber, and cheap beads didn't feel right," he says. "I cast about and finally found just the thing—a .45 caliber bullet. I carried it in my jacket and when the urge to smoke a cigarette came, I'd finger the bullet. Of course, I wound up the day with black fingers."

So far, not too offbeat. But hang on. "If the urge to smoke got really strong," he says, "I'd put the bullet in my mouth. Then

I'd realize that the damn thing might explode and blow my skull off." Not a very cool way to blow your mind.

"That was usually enough to keep down the urge for two or three hours. And in about three weeks I was cured."

Dr. Egeberg picked a hazardous way to quit. A way not recommended by anyone.

But sticking with cigarettes can be even more hazardous. Putting a cigarette—instead of a bullet—in your mouth can mean disability and slow death for millions of people.

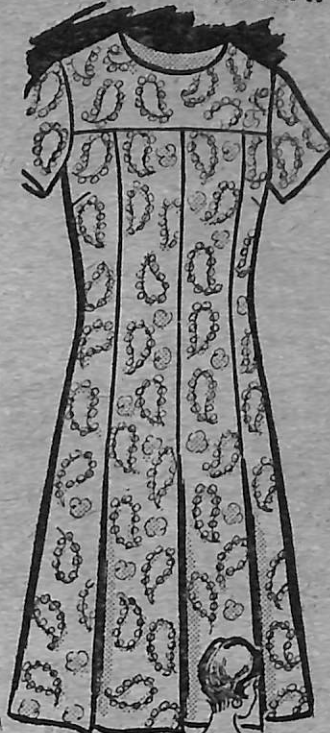
To find out just how high the hazards of smoking really are, check with your local respiratory disease association.

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SOCIAL SECURITY

Social security beneficiaries need not apply for the 15 percent benefit increase just signed into law by President Nixon. "Every one of the 125 million men, women and children now on the benefit rolls will receive the increases automatically," Robert M. Ball, Commissioner of Social Security, said today.

"The first regular check in the new amount," Commissioner Ball said, "will arrive April 3, the usual day for delivery of benefit checks covering payments for the month of March." A separate check in the amount of the benefit increase for the months of January and February will reach beneficiaries later in April, probably during the week of April 20.

Refiguring the benefit amounts of the 25 million men, women, and children now on the benefit rolls is a tremendous task, Commissioner Ball pointed out, and it must be done without disrupting the regular benefit payment cycle.

About one out of every eight Americans is now receiving a Social Security Check each month, Commissioner Ball said. As of the end of December, these monthly payments totaled \$2.2 Billion and the monthly total will go up by \$345 Million to more than \$2.5 Billion as the 15 percent benefit increase becomes effective.

The average retirement benefit of \$100 a month will rise to \$116 per month; a couple 65 or older receiving the average couple's benefit of \$170, will have their benefit increased to \$196. The average benefit for a family made up of a Disabled worker, wife and one or more children will go up from \$237; and average payments for a widow and two or more children will rise from \$245 to \$292.

It would take one hundred clerks working one hundred years to make a mistake as monumental as a computer can make in 1/100 of a second.



February 23

to

February 27

SENIOR HIGH

Monday: Orange juice, hamburger on roll, buttered carrots, potato chips, mustard, relish, catsup, sliced onion, peanut butter sandwich, chocolate cake w/chocolate icing, milk.

Tuesday: Toasted ham and cheese roll, mayonnaise, mustard, buttered corn, carrot sticks, peanut butter sandwich, applesauce, raisin cake, milk.

Wednesday: Macaroni w/meat cheese sauce, cabbage, carrot slaw, bread/butter, fresh pear, milk.

Thursday: Meat ball grinder in tomato sauce, garden salad w/spinach greens and Chicory, peanut butter sandwich, applesauce, milk.

Friday: Pineapple juice, pizza w/tomato, meat cheese sauce, celery-carrot sticks, peanut butter sandwich, prune-spice cake, milk.

JUNIOR HIGH

Monday: Meat loaf, mashed potatoes, broccoli, bread/butter, ice cream, milk.

Tuesday: Juice, meat ball grinders, tossed salad, pumpkin cake, milk.

Wednesday: Juice, chopped ham sandwich, potato chips, cabbage-carrot salad, fruit cup w/peanut butter cookie, milk.

Thursday: Juice, hamburger on bun, buttered stewed tomatoes, peanut butter sandwich, apricots w/cookie, milk.

Friday: Juice, tuna fish salad, potato chips, buttered carrots, bread/butter, raisin spice bar, milk.

DANAHY

Monday: Juice, frankfurt on roll, corn, spice cake, milk.

Tuesday: Sliced bologna on roll or peanut butter sandwich, cheese wedge, mixed vegetables, fresh pears, cookies, milk.

Wednesday: Macaroni in tomato-meat sauce, bread/butter, green beans, peaches, milk.

Thursday: Hamburg in gravy, mashed potatoes, bread/butter, broccoli, ice cream, milk.

Friday: Juice, grilled cheese or peanut butter sandwich, carrots, pineapple crisp, potato chips, milk.

GRANGER

Monday: Spaghetti w/meat-tomato sauce, green beans, bread/butter, peaches, milk.

Tuesday: Juice, hamburger on buttered roll, relish, catsup, cheese cube, carrots, purple plums, milk.

Wednesday: Tomato soup, peanut butter or bologna sandwich, celery-carrot sticks, cookies, fresh fruit, milk.

Thursday: Stewed tomatoes, hamburger gravy, mashed potatoes, whole kernel corn, bread/butter, white cake w/fudge sauce.

Friday: Grilled cheese or peanut butter sandwich, cookies, mixed vegetables, pears, milk.

PEIRCE

Monday: Beef pot pie w/potato topping, harvard beets, cheese or peanut butter sandwich, purple plums, milk.

Tuesday: Spaghetti w/tomato-meat sauce, buttered green beans, bread/butter, prune whip, milk.

Wednesday: Open face hot chicken sandwich w/brown gravy, sweet potato casserole, buttered peas, cranberry sauce, bread/butter, chocolate cake w/mocha icing, milk.

Thursday: Baked beans w/frankfurt rings, cole slaw w/grated carrots, hot raisin corn bread, pineapple tidbits, milk.

Friday: Tuna sail boats, stewed tomatoes, potato chips, peanut butter sandwich, fresh fruit, milk.

PHELPS

Monday: Juice, frankfurt on buttered roll, relish, mustard, buttered corn, apricots/peaches, cookies, milk.

Tuesday: Hamburg gravy,

mashed potatoes, spinach, bread/butter, chocolate cake, milk.

Wednesday: Sloppy joe on bun, green salad, lemon cream cake, milk.

Thursday: Juice, hamburger on bun, onions, relish, catsup, buttered carrots, pineapple, milk.

Friday: Tuna salad sandwich, carrot-celery sticks, potato chips, apple crisp, milk.

ROBINSON

Monday: Hamburg w/mashed potatoes, buttered broccoli, bread/butter, sliced peaches, milk.

Tuesday: Orange juice, hamburger in buttered bun, catsup, buttered carrots, cheese sticks, raisin nut squares, milk.

Wednesday: Spaghetti w/meat tomato sauce, buttered green beans, bread/butter, apricots, milk.

Thursday: Meat ball grinder w/sauce, buttered mixed vegetables, fruited jello w/topping, milk.

Friday: Juice, tuna salad or peanut butter sandwich, potato chips, farmer's wife salad, fruit, milk.

SOUTH

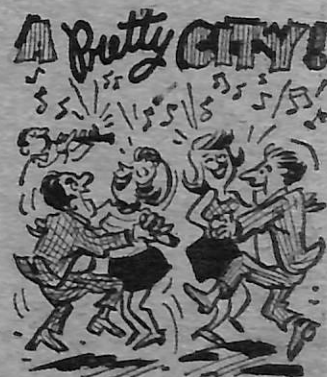
Monday: Orange juice, steamed franks on buttered bun, cheese sticks, mustard, relish, buttered carrots, pears, milk.

Tuesday: Italian spaghetti w/meat-spaghetti sauce, cabbage-carrot salad, buttered yeast roll, sliced peaches, milk.

Wednesday: Orange juice, chicken noodle soup w/diced carrots, celery sticks, grilled cheese on rye, fruit bars, apple, milk.

Thursday: Shepherd's pie (hamburg, corn w/potato topping, tossed green salad w/french dressing, peanut butter on rye bread, vanilla peach pudding w/topping, milk.

Friday: Baker beans, catsup, tuna salad sandwich, fruit slaw salad, pear crisp w/topping, milk.



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By Ann Nael
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State House, Boston—Gary W. Peterson, 655 Main St., Agawam, has been appointed as a Notary Public and confirmed by the Executive Council, the office of Secretary of State John F. X. Davoren has announced.

The name of the nominee was submitted to the Council by Acting Gov. Francis W. Sargent. The term of office is for seven years.

State House, Boston—Bernard A. Santaniello, 69 Regency Park Drive, Agawam, has been appointed as a Notary Public and confirmed by the Executive Council, the office of Secretary of State John F. X. Davoren has announced. The name of the nominee was submitted to the Council by Acting Gov. Francis W. Sargent. The term of office is for seven years.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bickford of Elbert Road, Agawam, announce the birth of a son born on Valentine's Day at the Wesson Maternity Hospital.

"Colleen" . . .

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munity College. She is 19 years old has brown eyes, dark brown hair and stands 5 ft. 2 inches tall.

Elaine Frighetto, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Frighetto, a graduate of Agawam High School, is 21 years old, has brown eyes, a brunette, stands 5 ft. 8 inches tall. She is employed by Steiger's Dept. Store.

Aprille Query, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Paul Query of Wyman St., a senior at Cathedral High School, is 17 years old, has blue eyes, brown hair and stands 5 ft. tall.

Debra Rachele, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Felix Rachele of Meadow St., a senior at Cathedral High School, is 18 years old, has blue eyes, ash blonde hair and stands 5 ft. 2 inches tall.

Pictures of the other contestants will appear in next week's issue.

Further information regarding the "Colleen" contest may be secured by calling Mrs. Thomas Danford of South Park Ter., chairman, or Mrs. George Schwein of Carr Ave., and Mrs. Richard Jagadowski of Emerson Rd., co-chairmen.

Scouting at Mooseheart



Scouting plays an important part in the training of Mooseheart children with girls taking part in the Brownie and Girl Scouts while the boys participate in the Cub and Boy Scout Troops.

Taxpayers Ask IRS

Q. We sold our home in 1969. I had to pay the bank \$200 as a penalty for paying off the mortgage early. Is this deductible?

A. Yes. The amount charged by the bank would be deductible by you as interest on Schedule A of Form 1040 if you itemize deductions.

Q. During 1969, I contributed about four hours a week of my own time teaching Sunday school for my church. Is this deductible?

A. No. The value of time or services that you contribute to a qualified organization is not deductible.

Q. Perhaps you could help me with a tax question that I have. We spent over \$800 to repair damage caused by termites which infested our home. Do I have a legitimate casualty loss?

A. No. Under the law, a casualty is defined as the complete or partial destruction of property resulting from an identifiable event of a sudden, unexpected or unusual nature. A casualty loss for termite damage is not allowed because the "suddenness" test is not met. Damage from termites usually does not occur until after two years following the original infestation of the property.

Q. My husband died in October. I have completed a joint return but am not sure about signing his name. What should I do?

A. If an executor or adminis-

trator has been appointed, the return must be signed by him and the surviving spouse. If no executor or administrator has been appointed, the surviving spouse may either: (1) sign his or her own name, and in the space provided for the other spouse's signature, sign his or her name again, followed by "Surviving Spouse," or (2) sign his or her name only once, followed by, "Taxpayer and Surviving Spouse."

FULL ECLIPSE TO GRAZE EAST COAST

Washington

The full eclipse of the sun coming March 7 will send a dark path racing across Mexico, the Gulf of Mexico, northern Florida, and on up the East coast of the U.S. at 1,500 miles an hour. It will be brief but spectacular.

In a solar eclipse the 2,160-mile diameter moon just covers the 864,000-mile diameter sun, a situation that permits scientists to observe solar features otherwise masked by the brilliance of the sun itself and by the brightness of the sky.

Before scientific knowledge explained these phenomena, eclipses made profound impact on mankind. The first recorded eclipse of the sun occurred Oct. 22, 2137 B.C. and, according to historians, resulted in death to two Chinese royal astronomers, Hi and Ho.

They "imbibed too deeply of wine," according to accounts, and failed to do their duty—shooting arrows and beating drums to drive away the dragon that was devouring the sun. As a result, Chung K'ang, fourth emperor of the Haa Dynasty, had them beheaded.

HOW TO WATCH ECLIPSE

A projector for watching the eclipse can be made with two pieces of white cardboard. A pin-hole or pencil hole in the top cardboard will project and focus the image of the eclipse on the second cardboard. Size of the image may be changed by altering distances between the cardboards. "Do not," says the NSF, "look at the sun through the pin-hole." Permanent damage to the retina is possible, it warns.

While a view of the total eclipse is possible only along the 100-mile-wide path of totality, a partial phase of the eclipse, decreasing with distance from the path of totality, will be visible over all of North America (except northwestern Alaska), Central America, and northwestern South America.

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SCOUTING PLAYS IMPORTANT ROLE

As in most communities, Scouting plays an important role in the training of youngsters at Mooseheart, the home and school for children owned and operated by the Loyal Order of Moose near Aurora, Ill.

Boys may get their first taste of Scouting by joining the Cub Scout troop as early as age nine. At present, about 30 boys belong to the two dens of Pack 124.

Boys remain in Cub Scouts until they reach their 11th birthday and then they move up to one of the three Boy Scout troops at the Child City. Boys may remain in Scouting until they graduate from Mooseheart High School.

There are three Boy Scout troops, No. 20, 24 and 30 with a combined membership of more than 100 boys.

Harold Kershner, chairman of the Mooseheart Scout committee, explains:

"Our Scouting program is organized so that a boy may have fun, but fun with a purpose — to develop physical fitness, self-reliance, personal responsibility and willingness to practice demo-

crative living."

Girl Scouts were first organized at Mooseheart in Nov. 1952 by a group of seventh grade girls. Since that time, a new troop has been added each year with the girls remaining in their original troop until they graduate from Mooseheart.

Every girl at Mooseheart has an opportunity to participate in the Scouting program. An average of 170 girls take part each year. They begin with the Brownie program in the fourth grade, progress to the intermediate troops and finally to the senior troop.

All Girl Scout troops follow the program as laid out by the Fox Valley Area Council of the Girl Scouts of America.

Agawam Jaycees . . .

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The Jaycees invite any young man from 21 to 25 years of age to join the Jaycees and become involved in these and other community development projects. The meetings are held on the 2nd and 4th Thursdays of each month at the Senior Citizens Building.

The lost 6-year-old boy ran down the supermarket aisles frantically calling, "Marian, Marian!"

His mother finally approached him, chiding: "You should call me 'Mother' not 'Marian.' I'm mother to you, you know."

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SPORTSMEN'S CORNER



By BILL CHIBA

A new magazine is coming out on the market Feb. 24th. It will present items of interest in a new, fresh, exciting and dramatic way. Rod & Gun, Sports Afield's Quarterly for Active Sportsmen.

Rod & Gun will cover the globe. It is primarily for sportsmen who want in-depth reports, gleaned from masters of rod and gun on ways to improve techniques. It offers information on planning an African Safari; on taking tarpon on light tackle; on handling bears when you meet them; on hunting and fishing in Japan, in France, in Ecuador; on motor homes; on the 12 senses of bass; on rules for flying commercially with guns and tackle; on fly-in fishing in Canada. R&G has put together the most extensive list of fly-in fishing camps ever compiled.

You will be able to pick up your copy on the newsstands for \$1.00.

Winter Camping

The snowmobile has opened the door to winter camping. Fine equipment in warm, practical clothing and in camping accessories — plus the efficiency and speed of the snowmobile — has put winter camping within the reach of every family. It's fun, it's safe, and it presents a great change of pace from the winter doldrums.

Adding to the family fun angle are the numerous camping accessories designed for Winter campers. Trailers can be attached to the snowmobile for towing necessary overnight camping gear such as tent, sleeping bags, etc. And the Cutter is just great for hauling around the "small fry" until they are big enough to move up into the pilot seat.

Whether you plan a single day's jaunt or an overnight trip, be sure to dress warmly and choose your gloves and boots carefully. To keep you snug at night in your lightweight tent you will want good sleeping bags, thermal underwear and heavy socks. Oh yes, an old fashioned stocking-cap is standard gear for snow campers.

Made to order for Winter camping is a new forced draft charcoal stove that provides a good cooking fire within minutes without liquid fuel. A gasoline burning camp stove is practical, too, and the lightweight ice chest that served you last summer can be put to good use on winter-time camping trips to keep foods and beverages from freezing. Last but not least... do not forget the vacuum bottles for piping hot coffee or broth!

My Neighbors



"I wonder if we can't get federal matching funds for this project..."

KEENEYE'S TIPS ON SHOOTING



When in a hunting camp provide yourself with a SAFE storage area for hunting arms and ammunition. Load up and unload AWAY from the camp area.

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Hunting — More Fun, Productive For All

Amidst our growing concern about man's affronts to his environment—pollution, littering, etc.—two old truths seem to persist:

As civilization marches on, nature retreats. At the same time, predator and pest animals seem to grow even more numerous and destructive in many areas.

Now, after studying the snowmobile's potential impact on nature, the recreation experts at Mercury snowmobiles have concluded these versatile vehicles at least have the potential for more good than harm.

In terms of sport, snowmobiles permit hunters to quickly and conveniently reach the more "backwoods" areas where many game animals have retreated. Eliminated from sports hunting are the long walks on foot or snowshoe, giving more time for the real hunting.

In terms of pest control, the snowmobile is even more valuable, permitting wildlife control officials to give rapid pursuit to coyotes and other varmints.

The Mercury people caution, however, that machine pursuit of game animals, especially deer, is forbidden in most, if not all, states.

And they urge all enthusiasts to be particularly careful to pack out all litter—oil cans, food containers and other residue of civilization—so snowmobiles and their machines in no way contribute to defacement of our remaining true nature areas.



NO SLEEPING HERE

Did you ever try to catch a fish in "bed"? Well, it's not as crazy as it sounds. Fall and winter months are usually good times for crappie fishermen, and the place to find these tasty game fish, say the angling experts at Mercury outboards, is around an active crappie bed.

Crappie beds are sunken trees or other underwater attractions which the fish seem to like. Primarily a lake fish, crappie — sometimes called calico bass — are a school fish, and once you locate an active bed, stay there until the stringer is full.

Crappie fishing falls off during spring and summer, but cool weather brings improved fishing, and it usually continues right through the coldest months. Anglers who can take the cold weather in stride are rewarded with good fishing.

Many crappie fishermen help their success by building crappie beds. The best kind is made with weighted cedar trees, tying them from the shore with wire to the bed stays about 10 to 15 feet underwater. Or, if cedar trees aren't available, gather up pine and fir Christmas trees immediately after the holidays and use them.

The active life of a crappie bed varies, but is usually several years. Then the bed must be replaced with new trees.

Minnows and small maribou-feathered jigs are recommended by the Mercury lads as the best baits. And, you have to fish right in the tree branches.

You may lose a few hooks, but the catching is fun and fresh pan-fried crappie are hard to beat on the table.

Hosaga Indians At Camping Show

A colorful and entertaining program of authentic dances and ceremonials will be presented at the Better Living Center, by the Hosaga Indians of Springfield College, Springfield, Mass., under the sponsorship of the Springfield Camping and Outdoor Show.

The Hosaga Indians Dancers are men and women of the College who have made a hobby of studying Indian Lore. They make their own costumes and all other equipment used in the program, which has been patterned after the Plains Indians.

Organized in the fall of 1947 with Professor F. Edgar Hubbard as advisor, this group of students has traveled extensively throughout the northeastern section of the United States, presenting sincere and accurate interpretations of many dances and ceremonials of the Plains Indians.

Included among the equipment with which the Hosaga perform, is a 10 foot teepee and many other articles of crafts which the students have made.

Pack 77 Father-Son Dinner Sunday

Cub Pack 77 of St. John the Evangelist Church will have their Blue and Gold dinner for Father and Son on Sunday evening, the 22nd, from 6 until 9 in St. John's parish hall.

A dinner and a good time for Father and Cub is planned with awards for Cubs, Den Mothers, Den Chiefs and committee members.

Dad, let's all plan to attend with your son.



NEWS from the Services

O'MALLEY COMPLETES MAINTENANCE COURSE

Patuxent River, Md. (FHT-NC)—Navy Petty Officer Third Class James K. O'Malley, son of Mrs. Stella M. O'Malley of 20 Royal St., Agawam, completed an aircraft maintenance course with Naval Air Maintenance Training Detachment 1011 at the U.S. Naval Air Station in Patuxent River, Md.

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Seventy-three posters were submitted by students in the art classes under the direction of Miss Geraldine Schilling, art director at Agawam High. Cash prizes and tickets will be awarded the winning posters and they will be displayed in the show cases at show-time.

Shown in picture above are Paste-Up category winners: Left to right, Cathy Campbell, Susan Brown, Bette Kozikowski. Best Over-all poster: Linda

Farnsworth; Paste-up category: 1st, Cathy Campbell, 2nd, Susan Brown, 3rd, Bette Kozikowski; Poster Paint category: 1st, Donna Cesan, 2nd, Connie Buynicki, 3rd, Robert Seoville; Combination Poster Paint and Paste-Up: 1st, Cathy Mahoney, 2nd, Marcia Reed, 3rd, Linda Fuller.

General honorable mention: Christine Merchant, Diane Lederer, Debora Wilson, Robin Rennell, Dorothy St. Peter, Claire Melanson, Charles Cartello and Bonnie Malone.

Young Musicians Enjoy The Classics

"Music to Remember" is the theme of this year's Agawam Elementary Concert Band — a group of 63 young musicians who have been chosen from the Elementary Advanced Bands in the elementary schools. Competition was particularly keen this year among all 140 band members, and pupils were chosen through auditions on the basis of superior achievement in studying and playing their instruments, coupled with their dedicated attitude in regular band rehearsals. This honor musical group rehearses weekly in the High School Band room on Tuesday afternoons, after school, under the baton of their director, Mrs. Sally Lowell, Elementary Instrumental Instructor for the schools. At present the group is working diligently on a varied musical program to be presented on a tour of Agawam Elementary Schools on March 12th. In addition, they will play for two civic events in town — St. John's Church St. Patrick's Day Show

at the High School on March 20th, and will also provide a musical interlude for the Lions Club Dinner meeting April 1st.

Highlights on the program feature a Concert arrangement of "Finlandia" by Sibelius, and a stirring arrangement of the "Battle Hymn of the Republic." New additions to the instrumentation of the band this year are five F Horn players, and five Bell Lyre performers. The latter quintet will be featured in a delightful bell solo, "Twilight Bells" with band accompaniment. Our own Dixieland Band comprised of eight "swingers" — Clarinet, Saxophone, Trumpet, Trombone, and Drum — present a novelty number called "Dixieland Blues," also accompanied by the entire band.

Assisting Mrs. Lowell instrumentally, are two alumnae of the band, David Wood and William Lowell.

Members of the 1970 Elementary Concert Band are the following: Brett Meyer, Frank Afflitto, Darcy Davis, Steven George, Ellen Case, Patricia Carmel, Francis Carmel, Cheryl Fogg, Susanna Hall, Suzanne Wright, Elizabeth Deliso, William Wortelboer, John Balboni, Robert Johnson, Kari Hovland, Marilou DePalo, Alice Granger, Mary DeGrandpre, Ann Marie Pallotta, Carmen Rondinelli, Lynn Morassi, Sharon Cusson, Craig Rovelli, Peter Prizner, Leo Tortoriello, Barry Bocasile, James Taupier, Phillip Veccherelli, John Pisano, Daniel Taupier, Richard Kelley, Mark Marieb, Lou Ann Hallaman; Janine Jackson, Cheryl Gardner, Gregory Abbey, Michael Marvici, James Rondinelli, James Donovan, Phillip Jensen, Paul Byrne, Bruce Gregalis, David Settle, Donald Smith, Lori Cesan, Carol Ann Stepanik, Cheryl Circosta, Christine Rava, Eileen Culverhouse, Mark Fontaine, Jefford Nelson, John Dwindell, James Lowell, Kevin Wojciechowski, Holly Hubbard, Julie Rackliffe, Diane Pappas, Kathy Porter, Thomas Cassidy, Fred Babeski and Thomas Cirillo.

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Why are children so prone to skin problems?

While we all have observed the incredibly smooth skin of infants and children, they are still very susceptible to many skin diseases. Dryness of the skin is very common in infants from the time they leave the maternity ward for the next 3 to 4 years. Excessive bathing is one of the major factors in dry skin in chil-



Dr. Amberson

dren. Very much the same conditions exist in the skin of the very young as in the elderly. In the former, the oil glands have not fully developed; in the latter, age, normal wear and tear have decreased their functions. One way to alleviate some of the dry skin discomforts that many infants and children suffer is with a therapeutic bath additive like Alpha-Keri. A capful or two can be placed in the child's bath, providing a thin, protective covering on the whole body.

Pediatricians have found that the daily use of Alpha-Keri in the bath keeps the skin of the baby soft, smooth and clean and prevents it from becoming dry, itchy—and uncomfortable.

How dangerous is laryngitis? In most cases, laryngitis, or inflammation of the larynx, is not a serious condition. It can

be part of a general upper respiratory infection or a warning sign that you are doing something wrong — smoking, drinking too much, abusing your vocal chords or perhaps inhaling dust, fumes or other air pollutants. If you have a simple case, it generally clears up in a few days. However, if hoarseness persists or keeps recurring, it can be a warning that something is very much wrong. See your doctor by all means. Long-lasting hoarseness, for example, can be a sign of throat cancer, usually curable if it is caught in time.

What are callouses?

Callouses are nature's way of protecting feet and hands from friction and pressure. In many instances they are quite necessary — guitarists and cellists, for example, work at building up protective callouses on their fingers. If you wear high heels, you've probably noticed that the heels and balls of the feet develop a calloused area for a little extra reinforcement. Sometimes callouses can become unsightly or painful—and then they should be removed. Soak the calloused area and then rub away at the callous with a pumice stone or one of the specially formulated removers. If you remove the dead skin cells merely a layer a day, you will soon get rid of the callouses completely. Then the next step is trying to pinpoint the cause — tight shoes, constant rubbing or whatever — and removing the irritant.



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Wife: "She got into your car, too."

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INVITATION FOR BIDS

AGAWAM HOUSING AUTHORITY

Furnishing and installation of Solid Vinyl Siding with rigid backer board. Furnishing and installation of white aluminum on all trim. Two buildings at J. J. Brady Village, 775 Springfield Street, Feeding Hills, Mass.

Specifications for the above may be obtained at the office of the Agawam Housing Authority, 95 North Westfield Street, Feeding Hills, Mass. Each proposal shall be accompanied by cash or certified check in the amount of \$300.00.

Minimum wages as prescribed by the Department of Labor and Industries must be paid.

Agawam Housing Authority
Frank Chiscola, Jr.
Chairman

(Feb. 19)

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AGAWAM HOUSING AUTHORITY

Furnishing and painting of exterior trim on four buildings at J. J. Brady Village, 775 Springfield Street, Feeding Hills, Mass.

Specifications for the above may be obtained at the office of the Agawam Housing Authority, 95 North Westfield Street, Feeding Hills, Mass. Each proposal shall be accompanied by cash or certified check in the amount of \$125.00.

Minimum wages as prescribed by the Department of Labor and Industries must be paid.

Agawam Housing Authority
Frank Chiscola, Jr.
Chairman

(Feb. 19)

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Hampden, ss. September 23, 1969

LEVY ON AN EXECUTION

By virtue of an Execution which has been issued on a judgment recovered in the Superior Court of Springfield, holden at Springfield in County of Hampden, on the twenty-fifth day of August, 1969, in favor of Harvey Greenbaum, d/b/a Springfield Floor and Wall Covering of Springfield, Hampden County, Massachusetts, against William St. John of 28 William Street, Agawam (Feeding Hills), Hampden County, Massachusetts, this day at 8:00 in the forenoon have levied and taken all the right, title and interest which the said William St. John had in and to the following described real estate, on the eighteenth day of October, 1968, Book 3374, Page 515, being the time and date the same was attached on mesne process:

The land with the buildings thereon located in Agawam, (Feeding Hills), Hampden County, Massachusetts, bounded and described as follows:

Parcel 1. A certain lot of land with the buildings thereon beginning at a point distant about one hundred fifteen feet (115) from the southerly line of Springfield Street, said point being the northwesterly corner of lot 26 on plan of lots recorded in Hampden County Registry of Deeds, Book of plans 2, page 158, said lot 26 being lot #32 (thirty-two) on plan of lots called Avondale Park, recorded in Hampden County Registry of Deeds, Book of Plans 4, page 45, and running thence southerly along the westerly end of said lot 26 fifty (50) feet; thence westerly parallel with the southerly line of a tract on said plan first mentioned marked C, one hundred twenty-six (126) feet to the easterly side of Poplar Street; thence northeasterly along the easterly line of Poplar Street to the southerly corner of said tract C; thence easterly along the southerly line tract C, ninety (90) feet to the place of beginning.

Parcel 2. Lot #32 (thirty-two) as shown on plan of lots called Avondale Park, recorded in Hampden County Registry of Deeds, Book of Plans 4, page 45, to which plan and record thereof reference is hereby made for a more particular description, said lot #32 being shown as lot 26 on plan of lots recorded in Hampden County Registry of Deeds, book of plans 2, page 158. Subject to restrictions of record, if now in force.

Parcel 3. Certain real estate situated in said Agawam, to wit: Lot No. 31 (thirty-one) Avondale Park, Agawam, Massachusetts, as shown on a plan recorded in Hampden County Registry of Deeds, Book of Plans 4, Page 45, to which plan and record reference is hereby made for a more particular description.

Being the same premises conveyed to Manser Assod and Josephine Assod by deed of Horace Rice dated October 10, 1925, and recorded in said Registry, Book 1297, Page 85.

And on the 27th day of February A.D. 1970, at 10:15 in the forenoon on the Hampden County Superior Court house steps, Elm Street side, in Springfield, in Hampden County, I will sell at public auction to the highest bidder all the right, title and interest the said WILLIAM ST. JOHN had in and to the above described real estate to satisfy said Execution and all charges and fees of sale.

JOHN J. BODUCH
Deputy Sheriff & Auctioneer
(Feb. 5-12-19)

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V.F.W. Post 1632 Auxiliary Bulletin

By ANNA D. BISSONNETTE

The President of V.F.W. Western County Council Lucienne Monette had postponed her meeting of Feb. 15th, because of the conflicting dates with the joint mid-winter conference. The new date is Sunday, Feb. 22, at the Wm. F. DAVITT Post #625, 374 Front St., Chicopee at 2:30 p.m. The Junior Vice-Presidents project will be held at this meeting also . . . 'Penny Sale.'

A Monte Carlo Nite will be held jointly with out post on Saturday the 21st, at the Moose Lodge — \$2.50 per person — contact Chairmen Betty and Don Curran for further details.

The "BINGO" sponsored by

our Auxiliary at the Holyoke Soldiers Hospital was a success with approximately 55 men enjoying the efforts of Auxiliary Hospital Chairman Anna D. Bissonnette, Post Hospital Chairman. Toimi Tammi, Adam Link, Mike Dunphy, Del Grazio and Wil Bissonnette. Donating the refreshments, some of which were served the next day for a coffee hour were Connie Andry, Dee Minet, Ellie Appleman, Anna Bissonnette and Betty Mason. The next "BINGO" will be Tuesday, Feb. 24th, and we still need help and refreshments so contact chairman at 733-0215.

HERE AND THERE

Escaping our snow and cold were Past Comdr. Thomas and President Katy Dickinson who flew to Indiana for a week to attend the wedding of their niece, Donna Jean, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dom Celetti of Evansville, Indiana.

Doing well is David Cipher, brother of Betty Mason who is confined to the Mary Hitchcock Hospital in Hanover, New Hampshire. After a visit on Sunday, the Masons accompanied by the Bissonnettes were guests at the NEW American Legion Home at White River Junction.

A reminder to our Auxiliary "Heart Fund" collectors — Sunday Feb. 22 is Heart Fund Sunday but you may collect whenever is convenient for YOU because of the cold and snow. Please return your envelopes on or by Feb. 22, however. ADB.

On To Jupiter

The United States space agency has awarded a \$38-million contract for two unmanned spacecraft to fly to Jupiter in the longest space probe ever made.

The Pioneer spacecraft, to be built by TRW Systems of Redondo Beach, Calif., will be launched in 1972 and 1973 on a two-year journey to Jupiter, largest of the planets.

Jupiter is nearly 400 million miles from earth at the closest point.

The spacecraft will observe the asteroid belt, explore the environment and atmosphere of Jupiter, and send back close-up pictures of the planet as they fly by it.

I lost a good job on account of illness. The boss got sick of me.

Waste Collections

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 20
ROUTE 10

Autumn, Barden, Campbell Dr., Channel Dr., Clark, Clifton Dr., Congress, Cross, Dartmouth, Deering, Dover, Dyotte, Florida Dr., South Florida Dr., Forest Cir., Lawnwood, Leonard, Meadowbrook Rd., Merrell Dr., Morgan, Peros Dr., Roberta Cir., Ruth Ave., Sibley, Simpson Cir., Warren, and Western Dr.

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 23
ROUTE 1

Audubon, Arnold, Broz Ter., Carmen Ave., Cleveland, Coronet Cir., Duclos Dr., Francis, Gale, Grant, Hall, Harding, Homer, James, Letendre Ave., Liberty, Maynard, McKinley, Norman Ter., Norman Ter. Ext., North, Oak Lane, Pleasant Dr., Ridgeway Dr., Robin Ln., Sherman Ave., Sylvan Ln., Taft, Walton Ln., Wilbert Ter., Wilson, and Woodland St.

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 24
ROUTE 2

Acorn, Agnoli Pl., Annabelle, Bessbrook, Chapin, Cherry, Colemore, Daniel, Day, Eastern Ave., Fenton, Franklin, Fruwirth Ave., Giffin Pl., Greenock, Hastings, Hayes Ave., Henry, Highland, Horsham Pl., Kensington, Lenox, Lincoln, Line, Mooreland, Norris, Norwood, Oak, Park, Pierce, Portland Pl., Ralph, Rhodes Ave., Sequoia Dr., Springfield, White, William and Witheridge St.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 25
ROUTE 3

Barn Rd., Begley, Birchwood Ter., Bridge, Brookside Pl., Church, Columbus, Cooley, Cottage, Country Rd., Dwight, Ellington, George, High, Highland Ave., Hillcrest Ave., Howard, Keating Ln., King, King Ave., Laurel, Lexington, Maple, McGrath Ter., Moore, Morris, Mulberry, Oak Ave., Oak Hill Ave., Orchard, Ottawa, Pasadena, Prospect, Randall, River, Rowley, Royal Ln., Royal, Scherpa, Spencer, Spring, Summer, Sutton Pl., Tower Ter., Valley, Walnut, Walnut St. Ext., and Winthrop St.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 26
ROUTE 4

Alexander Ave., Belmont Ave., Belvidere, Briar Hill Rd., Brookline, Carol Dr., Churchill Ave., Clover Hill Dr., Columbia Ave., Country View Cir., Daniel, Fordham Ave., Fox Farms Rd., Granger Dr., Harvard Ave., North St. Ext., No. Westfield, N. West, Northwood, New York Ave., Oriole Dr., Parkview Dr., Pleasant Valley Rd., Provin Mt. Dr., Richmond Ave., Ridgeview Dr., Robin Ridge Dr., Strawberry Hill Rd., Squire Ln., Roosevelt Ave., Thalia Dr., Vassar Dr. and Yale Ave.

Snow Sculpture



Agawam Indian Guides recently had a snow sculpture, at the local "Y" grounds. In the picture are left to right: George Lamson, black bear; Frank Stoll, Big Beaver; and Ralph Albano, Chief Bold Eagle. The big and little braves made the Y.M.C.A. sign on the snow and a large Tom Tom.



COLLEGE NEWS

The following local students attained Dean's List status, for the first semester 1969-70, at American International Evening College:

John J. Cardone of 103 Raymond Cir., Charles J. McCobb, 71 High St., and Arthur Pahlka of 768 Suffield St., Agawam.

Donna Atwater, 20 Haskel St., Agawam, a student in the Fones School of Dental Hygiene at the University of Bridgeport, received her cap recently during a ceremony which marked the completion of the first step toward her degree.

VERONESI NAMED "ATHLETE OF WEEK"

ITHACA — Sophomores Paul Veronesi of Agawam, and Bob Scanlan of Willowdale, Ontario, Canada, have been selected as the Ithaca College "Athletes of the Week" for their performances during the period of Feb. 2 through 7.

Veronesi scored 20 points, handed out three assists, made two steals and three recoveries as Ithaca lost a 76-71 decision to Colgate last Wednesday.

On Friday, Veronesi tossed in 26 points, had two more steals, four recoveries, three assists and six rebounds as Ithaca was edged out by the University of Rochester, 81-76.

The former Agawam High star has averaged 18.6 points a game this year, and has led Ithaca in scoring in the last four games.

Veronesi is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Veronesi of 20 Central St., Agawam, and is a 1968 graduate of Agawam High School.

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Tonight, Feb. 19th, there will be an executive committee meeting at the "Y" at 7 p.m. and at 8 there will be a regular board meeting.

There will be NO gym classes at the High School on Saturday morning, Feb. 21st, because of school vacation. However, all the boys and girls in the gym classes will meet at 10 at the New Central YMCA gym for classes and swimming. Parents are responsible for transportation.

The candy mint drive is now under way and any boys or girls who wish may pick up candy at the "Y" and sell it to help support the youth programs.

The Agawam "Y" is looking for a college student who would be interested in a part-time maintenance position during the spring and full time during the summer. For further information call the Agawam "Y".

February 20, 1792 — President George Washington signed first comprehensive postal law.

VWWI CARD PARTY WINNERS

The second game in the present series of six card parties sponsored by the Veterans of World War One was held last Wednesday evening in the Agawam National Guard Armory. Winning door prizes were Blanda LaBelle, Delia Cadorette, Walter Haggerty and Emma Piacenza.

Mystery prize winners were: Howard Thayer, Anne Hyde and Mabel McNamara. Ladies' ace prize winner was E. Cordingley and Howard Thayer for the men.

High score prizes were awarded to: Ladies—1st Emma Piacenza, 2nd Pearl King, 3rd Blanca LaBelle, 4th Gladys Cortes; Men—1st Harold Landers, 2nd Howard Thayer, 3rd Herbert Edes, 4th Walter Rollins.

The next card party will be held at the same place . . . time . . . day . . . see you there!



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